REMARKS

Upon entry of the present amendment claims 1-18 remain in the application. Claims 1-18 are rejected on the basis of 35 USC §112, first paragraph for the reason that the specification, while enabling for "C" compounds having a plurality of methylol or methylalkoxy groups, is broad enough to read on mercapto groups. The specification though, teaches away from mercapto groups. Accordingly, Applicants have amended the claims to be commensurate with the scope of enablement of the specification. The amendment is supported in the Specification at page 11, lines 24-29. No new matter is added by the amendments. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is therefore respectfully requested.

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